March 16, 2014

To Whom It May Concern:

I support HB 5416 (Section 2) which would ban extremely cruel and inhumane gestation crates.

Let's make Connecticut a leader in caring for its people and its animals. I would hope that Connecticut could set the standard by which others might follow. I want to be proud to be a citizen of a state that cares for humane treatment of all creatures... "great and small".

Honor the Connecticut small farmer who would never consider such a cruel life for his animal.

A recent article in the business section of the New York Times reports an overwhelming majority of people support more humane treatment of the animals they eat.

Please no gestation crates in Connecticut.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Sherrill Jones 15 Bald Hill Road, Tolland, Ct 06084 March 16, 2014

To Whom It May Concern:

I oppose HB 5080, which would allow Sunday hunting. God gave us a day of peace so please do not take it away. Let us please have at least one sacred day of peace. Please.

I like walking my dog on the weekend and I do not want to be in fear of a stray arrow hurting or killing my dog or myself. I work hard all week long and want to relax in nature without fearing for my safety.

If allowing hunting on Sunday main concern is the deer population "problem" then consider a management program like PZP immunocontraception programs.

Please do not allow Sunday hunting.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Sherrill Jones 15 Bald Hill Road Tolland, Ct. 06084 March 16, 2014

To Whom It May Concern:

I support S.B. 445, the "puppy mill bill": but I have "an additional request to include requirements that 1) all new pet shops shall not sell commercially-bred dogs AND 2) for current pet shops, a phase-out of the sale of commercially-bred dogs.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Sherrill Jones 15 Bald Hill Road Tolland, Ct. 06084